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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114

Please enter this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Although Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in connection with this request, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0584P1/WBP for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this request timely and acceptable to the Office.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.